

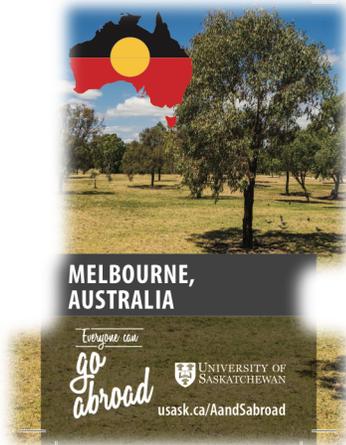


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## INDG 498.3 Remembering Resistance: Urban Indigenous Australia and Colonization MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA

July 1-15, 2019

Application deadline: January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019



### Overview

Partnering with Indigenous studies programs in Hawai'i, North Carolina, and Australia, this course provides an experiential learning opportunity exploring Indigenous communities. In the summer of 2019, the course will be hosted by Swinburne University of Technology in Melbourne.

This course will focus on the experience of urban Indigenous people of Melbourne, the traditional homelands of the Wurundjeri people

Students will visit various urban locations, including the Coranderrk urban reserve, which established in 1863, and will hear from Wurundjeri Elders, artists, and community members to learn first hand of their experience of resistance and resurgence. Students will learn the difference between the colonization experienced by Indigenous people in Australia and Canada but will be asked to identify similarities in experience.

This course is a partnership between University of Saskatchewan, University of Hawaii, University of North Carolina, Pembroke, and Swinburne University of Technology that was established in 2018. Each university host a class each summer on a rotation basis.

### Program Highlights

- 1) **Melbourne**
  - a) Yarra River (Birrarung)
  - b) Bunjilaka @ Melbourne Museum
  - c) Game of Australian Football (AFL)
- 2) **Coranderrk Reserve**
- 3) **Healesville Sanctuary**
- 4) **Wurundjeri archaeological site visit**

### Course Description

Designed to bring together Indigenous studies students from around the world, this course explores the many ways in which Indigenous peoples Australia experience with colonization and how their resistance has lead to a contemporary Indigenous resurgence. By examining the many written and oral remembrances and by listening to Wurundjeri Elders, artists, and community members and visiting various locations in Melbourne and vicinity students will explore how Urban Indigenous people in Melbourne mobilize memory and history to revitalize their communities and renew their cultures. The course 2 seminars in Saskatoon followed by a 10-day exchange visit to Melbourne with the partner programs.

### Prerequisites:

12 credit units of senior Indigenous Studies courses. Permission of the instructor is required.

## Faculty Coordinator:

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### Please note:

This course is a physically demanding class and students must be able to walk long distances over long periods of time. If you have a disability, please contact AES as early as possible to discuss your accommodation needs while abroad. In addition, contact the Program Coordinator to look into the possibility that accommodations can be provided at the location.

### Cost to Student:

The College of Arts and Science has generously provided \$200 per student taking the course for credit and \$100 for those auditing (if applicable) to help reduce the program fee for each student. The program fee below reflects the reduced amount.

- a) **UofS tuition:** approx. \$615 (individual registration and payment)
- b) **Program fee:** approx. \$1450 - \$200 from A&S = **\$1250**, which includes:
  - a. shared accommodation,
  - b. some group meals,
  - c. entrance fees to sites,
  - d. on-site transportation
- c) **Airfare:** approx. **\$1800**
- d) **Other costs:** individual meals, personal expenses (gifts, souvenirs), textbooks or other course materials, personal on-site transportation, possible medical insurance; etc.

### Payment Schedule:

A \$500 non-refundable deposit is due upon acceptance into the program likely within a week after the deadline but no later than January 31<sup>st</sup>.

The remainder of the program fee is due at the end of **February 2019** (details will be specified in the acceptance letter). Program fee payments may be made by money order or cheque only, payable to the University of Saskatchewan.

### Financial Assistance:

**All students accepted to participate in the program will receive the [\\$1000 Global Engagement Scholarship](#)** to help offset costs related to studying abroad. The study abroad coordinator submit the group application. Students do not need to apply themselves. NOTE: Students must be taking the course for credit towards a degree to be eligible.

Eligible UofS students may apply for additional funding. For further information please visit:

<http://artsandscience.usask.ca/undergraduate/scholarships.php>

<https://students.usask.ca/academics/goabroad/awards.php>

### Applications:

Application forms are available online from the Study Abroad Website:

<http://students.usask.ca/academics/goabroad/taught-abroad-programs.php>

### For more information and to submit applications, contact:

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